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SUBJECT: BELGIAN ECONOMIC INDICATORS- MARCH 1977

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ITEM	FIGURE	PERIOD
INDICES:		
INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION	110.3	JAN. 1977
RETAIL SALES (VALUE)	347	DEC. 1976
C P I	119.80	ARCH 1977
W P I	190.6	FEBR. 1977
WPI-FINISHED INDUSTRIAL GOODS	145.0	FEBR. 1977
"SYNTHETIC CURVE" OF BUSINESS EXPECTATIONS OF FUTURE		
ACTIVITY	82.17	FEBR. 1977
STEEL PRODUCTION (MT)	950.253	FEBR. 1977
DELIVERIES METAL PRODUCTS(BILLION BF)		
	471.4	JAN.-NOV. 76
MONEY SUPPLY (M1) (BILLION BF)	766.8	DEC. 1976
MONEY SUPPLY (M2) (BILLION BF)	1,762.3	DEC. 1976
OPERATING BUDGET EXPENDITURES (BILLION BF)		
	79.5	JAN. 1977

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OPERATING BUDGET REVENUES
(BILLION BF) 57.1 JAN 1977
OPERATING DEFICIT/SURPLUS
(BILLION BF) -22.4 JAN. 1977
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (PERCENT INSURED
LABOR FORCE) 9.7 FEBR. 1977
TOTAL LABOR FORCE (PERCENT

UNEMPLOYED)	6.5	FEBR. 1977
EXPORTS (VALUE)(BILLION BF)	1,363.4	JAN./DEC 1976
EXPORTS (VALUE (BILLION BF	1,264.8	JAN. /DEC 1976
EXPORTS (VOLUME) (MILLION MT)	80,1	JAN./DEC 1976
IMPORTS (VOLUME)(MILLION MT)	151,0	JAN./DEC 1976

(ABOVE TRADE FIGURES ALL ON CUSTOMS BASIS)

CURRENT ACCOUNT (BILLION BF)	-11.9	DEC. 1976
FOREX RESERVES (CURRENCIES)		
(BILLION BF)	91,2	MARCH 13. 1977
CALL MONEY RATE PERCENT	6.69	FEBR. 1977
3-MO.TREAS.BILL PERCENT	7.50	FEBR. 1977
LONG-TERM GOVERNMENT BOND		
YIELD (T) (6-MO)	8.00	MARCH 1977
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